MR. KAINIKKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI: The number of individuals?

MR. K. T. MICHAEL: The number of people rendered homeless?

MR. KAINIKKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI: I claim notice.

MR. K. T. MICHAEL: Can the honourable member inform us the number of families rendered homeless?

MR. KAINIKKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI: I cannot say.

MR. K. T. MICHAEL: Let me know whether homesteads will be provided for those who have not already made applications?

MR. KAINIKKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI: Provided they apply.

MR. K. T. MICHAEL: Let me know where Government propose to give homesteads?

MR. KAINIKKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI: As far as possible near their homes.

MR. K. T. MICHAEL: May I know whether the people will be consulted as to the location they require?

MR. KAINIKKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI: Certainly, Sir.

MR. P. K. KURIAKOSE *(Muvattupuzha* cum *Devicolam)*: May I know whether any principle is being followed in giving them the lands?

MR. KAINIKKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI: No principle; only convenience.

MR. P. K. KURIAKOSE: Will they be given lands equal in value?

MR. KAINIKKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI: That will depend upon their convenience.

MR. P. K. KURIAKOSE: Will they be given lands equal in area?

MR. KAINIKKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI: It all depends on the demands put forward by the parties concerned. One may require only 10 cents of land and the remainder of the compensation in the form of money, another may require lands for the full value. Therefore all depends on individual cases.

MR. A. P. UDAYABHANU *(Karunagapally* cum *Kartigapally)*: May I know whether it is the practice of the Government to provide people who are rendered homeless with homes, before they are evicted?

MR. KAINIKKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI: There is no such practice.

MR. A. P. UDAYABHANU: If that practice is not adhered to, will it not cause hardship for the people who are evicted?

MR. KAINIKKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI: That is a matter of opinion.

MR. P. K. KURIAKOSE: May I know whether lands along the roadside are more valuable than those lying inside?

MR. KAINIKKARA M. PADMANABHA PILLAI: That again is a matter of opinion.

Private Management Schools.

297. ✱ MR. K. G. KESAVAN NAIR *(Changanacherry* cum *Peermade)*: Will the Government be pleased to state

(a) whether there is in existence any private management school within the areas wherein the compulsory primary education system has been introduced;

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(b) if so, their number, with a statement, by caste, of the managements, thus allowed to continue; and

(c) what steps have been taken to ensure adequate pay to the teachers of such schools?

MR. A. NARAYANAN TAMPI *(Director of Public Instruction)*: *(a)* Yes.

(b) S. I. U. C. 2 } Primary schools attached to Training schools.
Catholic 1 }
Lutheran 10 ... Denominational schools.
Catholic 33 ... Their recognition and aid have been withdrawn as per the rules. They can continue as denominational schools and get recognition if they comply with the rules framed under the Act.

(c) The conditions of recognition include payment of salary to teachers equal to that paid by Government to teachers of similar grade.

MR. CHAZHIKKATTU JOSEPH (*Minachil* cum *Thodupuzha*): ഉത്തരത്തിൽ ബീയിൽ കത്തോലിക്ക് ഫ, കത്തോലിക്ക് നന എന്നിട്ടിരിക്കുന്നു. ഇതിന്റെ അർത്ഥം എന്താണ്?

MR. A. NARAYANAN TAMPI : കത്തോലിക്ക് ഫ എന്നു ഇട്ടിരിക്കുന്നതു് ടെയിനിംഗ് സ്കൂളിനെ ഉദ്ദേശിച്ചാണ്.

Primary schools.

298. * MR. P. M. VARGHESE: Will the Government be pleased to place on the table;

(a) (i) a list showing the number of new schools constructed on the lines of the new scheme of compulsory primary education;

(ii) the number of schools handed over to Government by private agencies;

(iii) the number of aided primary schools of which grant and recognition were withdrawn;

(b) a list showing (i) the number of teachers and pupils in all the schools under the new scheme put together;

(ii) the number of pupils who are supplied with noon meal only, and the number supplied with food and clothing; and

(iii) the number solely depending on Government for food, clothing and books?

MR. A. NARAYANAN TAMPI: *(a)* 12 completed and 33 in the course of completion.

ii. 95.

iii. All the Non-departmental Primary schools except those attached to Training schools.

(b) i. Teachers 779; pupils 47,040 under the Act.

ii & iii. The information will be available after the recent census figures are compiled.

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